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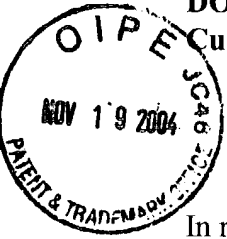
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: : Kenneth S. Ramey  
Serial No. : 09/181,823  
Filed : October 29, 1998  
For : COMMUNICATION NETWORK UTILIZING  
AUTONOMOUS SERVERS TO ESTABLISH A  
COMMUNICATION SESSION  
Group No. : 2664  
Examiner : Brenda H. Pham

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully requests a one (1) month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action mailed July 16, 2004. The response period is presently set to expire on October 16, 2004, and if this Petition for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be November 16, 2004.

A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed for the one (1) month extension fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Davis Munck Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

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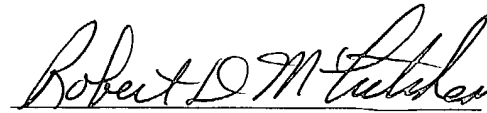
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Respectfully submitted,

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